

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**

**Plaintiff,**

**v.**

**APPROX. \$2,209 IN UNITED STATES  
CURRENCY, APPROX. \$50,000 IN FUNDS,**

**Defendants.**

The Government contends that the related criminal matter has not been finally resolved because Defendant Luong has not been sentenced and maintains a right to appeal, and therefore, this matter should remain stayed.

The undersigned is not persuaded that this matter should be stayed indefinitely; however, the undersigned will allow the stay to remain for the time being. The Court expects counsel for both sides to file a Status Report within ten (10) days of Defendant Luong's sentencing. In addition, Claimant's counsel must promptly update the Court on his status and his client's position on this case.

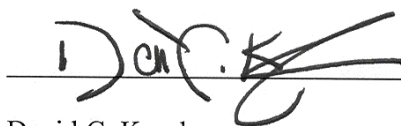
**IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED** that counsel for the parties shall file a Status Report within **ten (10) days** of Defendant Luong's sentencing in the related case: USA v. Luong, 3:20-CR-079-KDB-DCK. In the alternative, counsel may file a Stipulation of Dismissal.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Claimant's counsel, Wilbert Terry Sherrill, shall file a Status Report on or before **January 28, 2022**. Continued failure to abide by this Court's Orders may result in sanctions.

The Clerk of Court is respectfully directed to send a copy of this Order to Mr. Sherrill by certified U.S. mail, return receipt requested.

**SO ORDERED.**

Signed: January 20, 2022

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "DCK", is written over a horizontal line.

David C. Keesler  
United States Magistrate Judge

